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DISPENSING APPARATUS AND METHOD SUITABLE FOR

HETEROGENEOUS COMPOSITION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the communication mailed September 14, 2007, the period of response being extended from December 14, 2007 to January 14, 2008.

The amount of \$120 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity is being paid.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Merchant & Gould P.C., Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

Respectfully submitted,

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